Mountain Weather Forecast

Mourne Mountains

Forecast valid from 00:00 on Wednesday 26 Apr 2023 until 23:59 on Thursday 27 Apr 2023

Forecast Issued on Tuesday 25 Apr 2023 at 18:15

Confidence: Moderate confidence Wednesday. Low from Thursday and over the weekend.

Headline for Wednesday 26 Apr 2023: Cloudy but dry with light winds. Rain late evening.

Mountain weather hazards on Wednesday 26 Apr 2023

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales No Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** No Likelihood	**Poor visibility** No Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** Low Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 700m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Cloudy	Cloudy	Cloudy	Cloudy	Cloudy	Cloudy	Cloudy	Sleet
Precipitation probability							
00%	<05%	<05%	<05%	<05%	<05%	10%	40%

Forecast for Wednesday 26 Apr 2023

Weather: Dry but cloudy through the early hours and through the day. Light rain, sleet or snow on the higher summits late evening.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 700m: 80% in the west, 60% in the east

Low cloud and visibility: Good visibility. Cloud bases mostly above the summits.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	11/16 S	10/13 E	14/20 E	13/19 E	14/21 SE	13/18 SE	12/17 SE	15/22 SE	18/25 SE
300	5/9 S	5/8 E	8/14 E	8/13 E	9/15 SE	9/14 SE	7/12 SE	8/14 E	9/16 SE
Valley	4/9 S	4/9 E	6/14 E	8/14 E	8/15 SE	9/14 SE	7/12 SE	7/14 E	8/16 SE

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	3/-1	2/-1	3/-2	3/-1	4/-1	4/0	4/-0	4/-1	4/-1
300	5/3	4/2	5/2	6/3	7/4	7/5	6/4	6/3	6/3
Valley	6/5	5/4	6/3	7/5	8/6	9/6	8/6	7/5	7/4
<< Freezing Level*	800m	800m	800m	900m	1000m	900m	800m	1100m	1300m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Moderate UV levels despite cloud cover.

Forecast for Thursday 27 Apr 2023

Weather: Mostly dry but cloudy through the early hours and much of the morning. A chance of light rain for a time late morning into the afternoon, although this may pass to the south. Most likely a dry but cloudy end to the day and evening.

Maximum wind: Southeast 15-20 mph, gusting 25 mph.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 700m: 10% early morning, improving to 60% by late morning

Low cloud and visibility: Good visibility outside of low cloud. Cloud bases likely to be around 600-700m early morning, most likely lifting above the summits, but may lower again in rain.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 6 Celsius rising to plus 10 Celsius.
At 700m: Plus 4 or 5 Celsius.
Freezing level: Above the summits.

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